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Applicant : Charles Weissmann
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For : DNA SEQUENCES, RECOMBINANT DNA MOLECULES
AND PROCESSES FOR PRODUCING HUMAN INTERFERON-
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Examiner : James Martinell

New York, New York
June 16, 1997

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated February 14, 1997. With the extension, a response is due on or before June 16, 1997. A check in the amount of

\$110.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), is enclosed.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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